

REMARKS

Claims 1-13 and 20 are pending in this case. Claims 1-13 and 20 are allowed. Claim 9 has been amended to fix a typographical error. Claims 14-19 have been canceled.

Conclusion

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance, and an early Notice of Allowance is earnestly requested. Please direct any questions concerning this Response to Applicant's undersigned representative.

Respectfully submitted,



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